

REMARKS

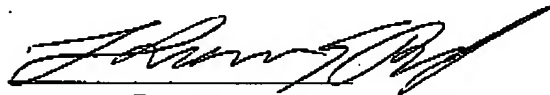
Rejected claims 1 and 13 - 20 have been cancelled.

Claims 2 and 10, indicated as being allowable if rewritten in independent form, have been rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of their base claim and any intervening claims.

The remaining claims are or have been amended to be in a form dependent on claims 2 and 10, without additional limitations or the deletion of previously contained limitations.

Therefore, all of the claims currently pending should be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration is requested.

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